



ST. JOSEPH COUNTY 4-H YOUTH COUNCIL

Regular Meeting
August 26, 2024
MSU Extension Office

President: Sara Trattles
Vice-President: Craig Ulsh
Secretary: Kayla Irelan
Junior Secretary: Miley Holden
Treasurer: Tarina Jansen
Junior Treasurers: Sarah Jane
Carpenter & HallieAnn Holtz
Deputy Treasurer: Julie Carpenter
Media: Emily Redmond
Junior Media: Grace Sturgill

1. Call the Meeting to Order – President, Sara Trattles @ 6:30 pm
2. Pledges – Everyone present with Keegan N. leading
3. Members Present – Sara Trattles, Tarina Jansen, Ed Klein, Craig Ulsh, Connie Myers, Julie Carpenter, Scott Miracle, Julie Bruce, Nancy Mangus, Grace Sturgill, Emily Redmond, Billy Kruger, HallieAnn Holtz, Miley Holden, Keegan New
 - a. Members Not Present: Ava Sowards-Haack, Kayla Irelan, Sarah Jane Carpenter
4. Public Comment – None
5. Additions to Agenda/Approval of Agenda – None
6. Minutes from Previous Meeting (August 5, 2024), Kayla Irelan, Secretary – Craig motions approval, Billy K seconds. Motion carries.
7. Correspondence Received - Plat Books read by Tarina Jansen
8. Financial Report, Tarina Jansen, Treasurer – Nancy M motions approval, Connie M seconds. Motion carries.
 - a. Balance in Sturgis Bank and Trust of 7/31/24 - \$25,592.81
 - b. Debit Card for Youth Council Expenses – Craig motions approval, Grace seconds. Motion carries.
9. Bills Needing Approval – Craig motions approval, Grace seconds. Motion carries.
 - a. \$10.34 to Nancy M for cleaning supplies
 - b. \$296.76 for Belt buckles
 - c. \$91.94 for Credit Card router
10. Office/Committee Report –
 - a. Fundraising –
 - i. Milk barn - ready for credit cards during fair but need more support on milk barn sign.
 1. Tickets for horse council, honor court, Farm Bureau? – 30 tickets handed out scavenger hunt and honor court
 - b. Parks/Fairgrounds Improvement –
 - i. Plans/Improvements for 2024 –
 1. Signs on Barn 43 & 44 – will be put up soon

2. Lighted Sign @ Friendship Park – Kayla M and Sara T working on it
 3. Flagpole Update – Photo needed w/ tape measure
 4. Photo Wall 2024 – Getting mums from Centreville FFA. Grace motions \$250 allowance for decorations for wall, Keegan N seconds. Motion carries.
- c. Still Projects – Buyer list? Tom Miller put shelves up for us in red barn, thank you written.
11. 4-H Development Report – Kayla Mitchell
- a. Horse Council/Livestock Association Report – Horse trophies in locked stall
 - b. Fair Update and loose ends – Early release for animals.
 - c. Barn spraying on 8/28 & 8/29
12. Old Business –
- a. Media Opportunities to Post – 4-H Dance b.
United Way Grant – still waiting for it to be available
 - c. Shirt Order – came in and will be handed out
 - d. Still Project Auction –
 - e. 2024 Trophies & Award Cups Status –
 - f. Honor Court – Interviews on 9/8/24
 - g. Dance – Emily R helping Grace, chaperones still needed, Becky donates \$100 for stamps to mark hands and water. Leftover buyer snacks will be available at dance.
13. New Business –
- a. Recognition Dinner – date set for 11/7/24 with Youth County Awards 3/13/25
 - b. Texas Roadhouse Dine In Fundraiser – Craig working on it
 - c. Performances –
 - d. Bid for Judges Meal – Craig motions to use Virginia for \$10/meal, Connie M seconds. Motion carries.
 - e. YC Nominations for next year – start thinking of candidates to ask and spread word.
 - f. United Way Basket – Tarina motions budget of \$100, Connie seconds. Motion carries.
14. Adjournment – Craig motions, Ed seconds. Motion carries.

Next Meeting Date – October 7, 2024 @ 6:30 pm